

Some Men Work While Others Try to Carry the Idea that They Are Working By Leaving Off Their Coat and Strolling Around In Negligee

**\$700,000,000 TO BE SPENT FOR DEFENCE**

Army Bill Appropriating \$314,000,000 Passed in Senate

**LIMIT SET BY HOUSE RAISED**

Amendment Giving Soldiers on Mexican Border Fight to Vote in Field Eliminated.

Washington, July 27.—Nearly \$700,000,000 for national defense in the fiscal year 1917 is the aggregate of proposed appropriations reached in the Senate today with passage of the army appropriation bill carrying in round numbers \$314,000,000.

This grand total for preparedness still is subject to revision, however, because the army bill will follow the naval bill into conference where reductions are probable despite the firm attitude of President Wilson in supporting the liberal response of the Senate to the call for adequate defense.

The appropriations for preparedness as they now stand are as follows:

Army	\$113,970,447.10
Navy	\$115,820,843.55
Fortifications (law)	\$5,748,650.00
Military academy	\$2,538,528.57
Army and navy defense	\$7,558,948.95
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$235,836,917.17</b>

As it passed the Senate the army bill exceeded the appropriations made by the House by more than \$111,000,000. In the final hours of debate on the measure the Senate agreed to an appropriation of \$2,000,000 for relief of dependent families of national guardsmen and regular army soldiers in service in the Mexican emergency. District of Columbia of the fund is left to the discretion of the secretary of war, but in no case shall any dependent family receive more than \$50 a month.

An amendment agreed to yesterday giving to soldiers on the border the right to vote in the field at the November elections was eliminated from the bill on a point of order just before passage.

As soon as the army bill was out of the way the Senate took up and passed after brief debate the Military academy appropriation bill carrying \$2,538,528.57 at an increase of \$1,019,524 over the House authorization.

In the main the Senate approved the military committee's increase over House appropriations. In the army bill, although there were a few reductions in the committee recommendations due to improvement in the Mexican situation.

**FLIES OVER BERLIN**

Daring Feat of Marchal, Aviator of France.

Paris, July 28.—An official communication given is as follows:

"On June 29, at 9:50 o'clock in the evening, Sub-Lieut. Marchal ascended at Nancy on board a Nieuport monoplane of a special type, taking with him a supply of fuel sufficient to last 14 hours. His mission was to cross Germany at a low altitude in order to drop proclamations on the capital, Berlin, and then to descend in Russia."

"This audacious flight was accomplished point by point and after flying all night Lieutenant Marchal was compelled to descend at 8:30 o'clock in the morning of June 31 near Chelm Russian Poland, at least 100 kilometers (62 miles) from Berlin."

"He was made a prisoner."

"The proclamation which Lieutenant Marchal dropped on Berlin began with the words:

"We could bombard the great town of Berlin and thus kill the women and innocent children, but we are content to throw only the following proclamation."

"Lieutenant Marchal was interned at Salzbrunn, whence he forwarded to France a postal giving details:

"I was made prisoner at eight o'clock on the morning of the 31st at Chelm. The Austrian officers did not believe that I had accomplished my task, but the proof later arrived and they were obliged to bow to the reality."

"It was the failure of the spark plugs which stopped me and I descended to change two of the plugs and to start the motor again. Unfortunately it would have been necessary to change two more plugs and at this moment I was taken prisoner. You may judge of my chagrin."

"Aviator Marchal is in the course of his journey, covered in continuous flight a distance of about 1,300 kilometers, (807 miles) most of which he traveled during the night."

**WEATHER FORECAST**

For eastern New York and western Vermont partly cloudy and warmer tonight and Saturday.

**CAPT. FRYATT EXECUTED**

Commander of British Freight Steamer to Ram German Submarine. Capt. Charles Fryatt of the British steamer Brussels has been executed by order of a naval court which pronounced a death sentence on the ground that Captain Fryatt was a civilian and not an officer of the British navy.

On March 28, 1915 near Maas the captain of the Brussels attempted to ram the submarine U-33.

**WAGING BROWN-TAIL WAR**

Government Inspector Carefully Examines Incoming Trains. St. Johnsbury, July 28.—Anyone boarding one of the night trains going north or south and especially those arriving from Portland over the Maine Central tracks might notice a man closely examining the cars inside and out and looking in the folds of canvas between the cars and also around the lights and headlight of the engine and wonder what he was doing.

A query would elicit the information that he was a government inspector in a division of the United States forestry department engaged in looking for moths of the brown-tail and spruce variety. The brown moth lays the eggs from which the common tent caterpillar hatches that does so much to the foliage. There are certain districts through which the trains pass that are more or less affected by the brown moth, while there are other sections to the north and south that are free from this pest so these men are engaged in preventing the spread of this insect from one locality to another. The lights of the train attract the moths and it makes a dangerous medium for the spread of the pest to sections that are free from the pest.

As has been said the eggs of the brown moth are those from which the destructive tent caterpillar hatch. The moths are nocturnal and are to be found flying at night during the greater part of July. The females deposit the eggs upon twigs of trees and soon die. The eggs remain unhatched until the following spring, although the caterpillar is fully formed within the shell before winter.

**DROWNING AT BOMOSEEN**

Fourteen-Year-Old New York Girl Victim of Cramps.

Lake Bomoseen, July 27.—Jessie Brown, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown of No. 111 Madison avenue, New York city, was drowned in four feet of water shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon while in bathing near the float bridge, this being the first drowning accident at the lake this season. The girl was taken with cramps and in her struggles she gasped one of her companions, a girl of her own age, dragging her beneath the water. The latter, however, managed to break loose and made her way to shore.

Fred Bornmann of New York, a boarder at Pond's boarding house, who was some distance away, was attracted by the girl's cries and hurried to the spot. It was nearly half an hour, however, before the body was recovered and by this time life was extinct.

Dr. Nicholas of Philmont, N. Y., a boarder at Pond's boarding house, in the morning of June 31 near Chelm Russian Poland, at least 100 kilometers (62 miles) from Berlin."

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**FIRST DEATH IN REGIMENT**

Eugene Chaffee, Cook for Company F is Fatally Burned.

Northfield, July 27.—A telegram was received this morning from Eagle Pass, Texas, by Col. Frank L. Howe, announcing the death, from burns, of Eugene Chaffee, cook of Company F, First Vermont regiment. The news was sent to Colonel Howe by his son, Capt. Harold M. Howe, the commanding officer of Company F. This is the first death in the Vermont regiment since it has been in Texas.

Chaffee succumbed to burns received July 19, when, as he was pouring kerosene on his open fire, the can of oil exploded. His clothes caught fire and he ran some distance before he was stopped and the flames extinguished. Colonel Reeves threw a blanket around him and several men rolled him on the ground.

He was about 25 years of age. His widowed mother and several brothers live in Northfield. The body will be brought here, burial to be made in Roxbury.

**DEUTSCHLAND SAID TO BE WAITING FOR BREMEN**

Big Submarine Continuing Tests Behind Barricade of Barges

**DENIAL BY AMBASSADOR RICE**

England's Representative Says No British Cruiser Has Been in Chesapeake Bay.

Ottawa, July 28.—There is no truth in the report that the Bremen, sister submarine to the Deutschland, has been taken into Halifax as was reported in some of the morning papers.

Baltimore, July 27.—With clearance papers for the submarine freighter Deutschland in his possession and with everything apparently in readiness for the vessel's departure Capt. Paul Koenig is waiting tonight, it is believed, for news from another submarine vessel, the Bremen.

An indication that the homeward bound submarine may put into some cove down the Chesapeake Bay to await an opportune time to make a dash out of the capes is the quantity of coal stored on the after deck of the tug Thomas F. Timmins which will tug the Deutschland. This is in large sacks, possibly 100 of them. With her bunkers full and this additional supply the Timmins could stand by the undersea boat for several days.

The Deutschland continued her tests today behind the barricade of barges that is anchored in the cove down the Chesapeake Bay to prevent even the briefest peek at the green hulk. The waters outside her slip were covered with oil thrown off in her submerging operations.

Those on board the interned North German Lloyd steamer Neckar on the other side of the Deutschland's slip evidently were having a good time tonight. The vessel was brilliantly lighted and strains of lively music floated over the water.

Washington, July 27.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, informed acting secretary Polk today that he had received a message from the admiral commanding the British squadron on the Atlantic coast denying that a British warship had entered Chesapeake bay as reported by the commander of the battleship Louisiana.

**TO MOVE FISH HATCHERY**

Establishment at Swanton to be Taken to Sandy Point.

Swanton, July 28.—The government fish hatchery which has been in operation at Swanton for a good many years is to be moved to West Swanton and located on what is known as Sandy Point. This was decided during the visit of Henry O'Malley of Washington, in charge of fish culture for the United States bureau of fisheries, and by A. H. Dinmore, superintendent of the government fish propagation in Vermont.

The chief reason for the change is the uncertainty of the present water supply and the growing difficulty in running the government boats in the river. John Niles, local superintendent, will begin Monday to make arrangements for moving the building to the new site. The structure will be taken down in sections, hauled to West Swanton by boat and then set up as it stands today. The plant will be near the river and lake shore fishing grounds, where the pike are taken in the spring, and the distribution of fry will be much easier either by water or rail. The new auxiliary fish hatchery at Burlington can be better supplied from this point.

**Playground Notes**

Girls between 8 and 12 meet Miss Dunham at 9 o'clock on the playground. The Strawberry bickers will meet Mr. Mann on the playground at 2:30.

The tennis court is in fine condition. Have you entered the tournament. Girls may enter in the tournament for girls only.

The Hustlers won a five inning baseball game last evening on the playground by the score 6 to 4.

Push ball is the new game for the boys. The girls will play captain ball.

**NOTICE**

Because of necessary repairs to the water system the water will be shut off from the section of the village west of the Cooper bridge on Main street at 7 o'clock this evening. It is expected that the work of making the needed repairs will require about 20 minutes. William P. Hogan, Clerk.

**BIG GAS WELL IN TUNNEL**

Cleveland May Be Compelled to Abandon Water Works.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 27.—The possibility that the city may be compelled to abandon not only search for bodies of workmen still entombed in the water-works tunnel here in Monday night's explosion but all further work on the tunnel itself, loomed here today as the result of investigation by L. M. Jones of Pittsburgh, government mining expert. Jones believes a natural gas well of uncontrollable proportions has been uncovered under the bed of the lake by the explosion.

If it is possible rescue parties will enter the tunnel today. The entombed bodies are behind a cave-in nearly 300 feet long. Special machinery will be needed to penetrate this wall of muck. It will require several days to install it if gas clears from the workings.

Water-works officials said today they believed there were only nine bodies in the tunnel, instead of eleven, as previously stated. Two workmen supposed to be entombed have turned up alive. This reduces the total loss of life to nineteen.

**BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL**

American League

New York 8, Chicago 6.  
Boston 7, Cleveland 6.  
Detroit 7, Washington 4.  
St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2.

**Standing of the Clubs**

Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	52	38	.578
Boston	51	38	.573
Cleveland	50	41	.549
Chicago	50	41	.549
Washington	47	43	.522
Detroit	47	45	.521
St. Louis	42	49	.462
Philadelphia	19	65	.226

**National League**

Boston 2, Chicago 2 (11 innings, called darkness).  
New York 4, Cincinnati 3.  
Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 4.  
Brooklyn 4, St. Louis 2.

**Standing of the Clubs**

Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
Brooklyn	50	33	.602
Boston	44	35	.557
Philadelphia	46	37	.554
Chicago	43	45	.488
New York	40	43	.482
Pittsburgh	39	44	.470
St. Louis	42	50	.457
Cincinnati	37	53	.411

**NO FOUL PLAY**

Kicking Horse May Have Killed Roy Wells.

St. Johnsbury, July 26.—An autopsy performed today over the body of Roy Wells who was admitted to Brightlight hospital from Orleans last night and died this morning showed that he died of a blood clot in the pulmonary artery. Wells was found yesterday in his wagon between Orleans and Iraaburg. He was unconscious and an examination disclosed a fractured skull. At first foul play was feared, but at the autopsy it developed that the injury might have been caused by the kick of a horse, and as the animal he drove was known to be vicious, this theory has been generally accepted.

**SECOND DEGREE MURDER**

Otis Williams Convicted in Orange County Court.

Chelsea, July 27.—"Guilty of murder in the second degree" was the verdict returned about 9:30 o'clock this morning by the Orange County court jury which heard the case of Otis Williams who was charged with the murder of Joseph Felch, a Waits River farmer. Williams, who has been following the evidence closely, showed no emotion when the verdict was read. The sentence for second degree murder is life imprisonment.

Attorneys for the defense took many exceptions both to the evidence submitted by the state and to the judge's charge and it is understood that the case will be carried to the Supreme court.

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**BUCK UP, IT MAY BE SOME WARMER TOMORROW**

Weather Sharps Say Hot Wave is Not Ready to Break

**WORST IN FIFTEEN YEARS**

Predicted That High Temperature Will Continue During Week and Perhaps Longer.

Washington, July 28.—Little hope for relief from the torrid conditions of the past 48 hours is promised the middle west and whatever cessation is recovered will be at the expense of the Atlantic coast, according to the weather bureau officials. In the east temperatures of 100 degrees are predicted which must result in much additional suffering.

Chicago, July 28.—While the middle west sweated in highest recorded heat of years today, the inhabitants of Waukegan, Ill., shivered in overcoats with the temperature at 36, Waukegan was the coolest spot in the country, according to weather bureau officials.

Chicago, July 28.—There were 26 deaths reported from heat last night and today, making a total of 44 in 24 hours. The night was the hottest in the history of Chicago. At 1 a. m. the temperature registered at 90.

Washington, July 28.—A Bermuda "high" is the official cause of the worst heat wave that has enveloped the country in 15 years. Translated from the cryptic language of the weather sharps that means a great area of high pressure air has been mobilizing on the weather drill grounds in the Atlantic off Bermuda for the last month and now has let go the full power of its offensive from the seaboard to the Rocky mountains. For weeks it has stood like a solid wall against heated currents trying vainly to move out from the interior over the ocean, and now as it swirls rapidly along it is gathering heat and moisture from the tropics and sweeping them northward over the continent into the vacuum of so-called "pressure areas."

No relief is promised from the phenomena, which in the East has caused sweltering city dwellers to light fires in their homes to dry out the humidity or which in the Mississippi valley is threatening to destroy millions of dollars worth of food crops. Chief Forecaster Frankfield said yesterday that the heat wave had begun. It is certain to continue through the week and probably longer. None of the conditions essential to break up are yet evident. The relief which often comes from the northwest is nowhere in sight.

**PARALYSIS CASES IMPROVE UNDER TREATMENT**

Marked Success Attends Use of Adrenalin in Injections

One Hundred and Fifty-One New Cases During Twenty-Four Hours.

New York, July 27.—Marked success has attended the treatment of fifty infantile paralysis patients with intrasplenic injections of adrenalin, the remedy recently suggested by Dr. S. J. Meltzer, according to a report made to the health department today by Dr. Edward J. Bermingham. In thirty-five cases, the report says, the symptoms completely subsided, while the other fifteen infants are said to be speedily recovering.

Special methods of caring for the patients have been adopted in connection with the use of adrenalin, injections of which are made directly into the spine every six hours. One of the methods is supplying the patients, when the convalescent period starts, with new dolls and toys. A happy state of mind is a great remedial measure, Dr. Bermingham said.

Three more surgeons have joined the staff of Dr. Charles E. Banks, senior surgeon of the United States public health service, in charge of the government's bureau for regulating infantile travel during the epidemic, making a total of twenty-one surgeons new on the staff.

At the request of Health Commissioner Haven Emerson, the board of estimate today supplied funds to bring a score of scientists from as far west as Chicago and as far east as Boston to this city for a conference on the epidemic.

Commissioner Emerson issued a statement showing that 97.3 per cent of the children who have had infantile paralysis have been under ten years of age.

Little change in the epidemic was noted today in the health department's report for the twenty-four hours ending at 10 o'clock this morning. During that time there were thirty-one deaths and 161 new cases. This is slight decrease from yesterday's figures.

Washington, July 27.—Warning was issued to the public today by the department of agriculture to look with extreme suspicion upon any preparation put on the market and offered for sale as being effective for the treatment of infantile paralysis.

Department officials charged with the enforcement of the food and drug act, an announcement states, "expect the outbreak of infantile paralysis will tempt unscrupulous persons to offer for sale so-called 'cures' or remedies for dread malady. They therefore have issued special instructions to food and drug inspectors to be particularly alert for interstate shipments or importations of medicines, the makers of which allege that they will cure or alleviate this disease for which at the present time no medical cure is known."

Inspectors have been instructed to collect samples of all such medicine found in interstate commerce and officials declare the makers will be vigorously prosecuted whenever the situation warrants action under the food and drug act. Such remedies offered for import will be refused entry.

**RURAL CARRIERS MEET**

12th Annual Meeting Held at Vergennes Thursday.

Vergennes, July 27.—The officers elected at this morning's session of the 12th annual meeting of the Vermont Rural Letter Carriers' association are as follows: President, E. H. Sargent, East Thetford; vice-president, E. N. Knapp, Iraaburg; secretary, T. J. Stewart, Lyndonville; executive committee, E. S. Robinson, Morrisville, C. H. Stratton, Enosburg Falls, W. F. Wheeler, Putney; delegates to the national convention in Chicago August 8-11, C. G. Carr, Barre, H. N. Spooner, Vergennes, A. C. Hooker, Hardwick.

**GERMANS CLEARED OUT OF DELVILLE WOOD, SAYS HAIG**

British Commander Also Reports Capture of 163 Prisoners

Germans Moving on Pozieres

Teutons Bringing Forward Reinforcements to Recapture Village.

London, July 28.—The British at Pozieres now have the advantage in that they have secured a higher position and are able to attack the Germans on a lower level where the enemy is unprotected by concrete defences.

The British have driven all of the Germans out of the Delville wood, according to the report today of Gen. Haig, the commander-in-chief. The British captured 163 prisoners in Delville wood, Gen. Haig reported.

London, July 28.—Since the completion of the capture of Pozieres the news from the British front in France is mainly of artillery actions and testing encounters at various points on the German line. The comparative lull and hot, hazy weather, it is assumed, has given the Germans an opportunity to bring up further troops and guns with a view to renewed attempts to recapture Pozieres where, however, according to reports, the British troops have further consolidated their positions.

Tonight's official report shows that there has been hard fighting all day with some fluctuations of fortune, but that in extend the British improved their positions northeast of Pozieres and in the vicinity of Longueval and Delville wood.

To the south of the Somme the French have made further progress against the Teutons to the east of Estrees. In Champagne the Germans raided French first trenches near Proseaux, but were driven out in a counter-attack. Bombardments are in progress on various sections around Verdun.

Petrograd, July 28.—Russian troops covered 100 miles in their advance on Erzerum within a week. The capture of that city means the virtual completion of Turkish Armenia. It gives Russia the benefit of the extremely fertile valley and opens an easy means of communication through Trebizond for the western and southern Caucasian armies.

It is estimated that the Turks had between 25 and 30 divisions between the Black sea and Mush—approximately 350,000 men. Three months ago the Turks undertook a comprehensive campaign intended to recapture Erzerum, and incidentally to draw troops from the Russian European theater. Gen. Eudenel, the Russian commander in the Caucasus, succeeded, however, in holding the Turks in the Erzerum district while delivering an effective blow at them in the Mush district. In order to counter this flanking from the south and a similar effort from the north, the Russians were obliged temporarily to abandon Mamakhat, 50 miles west of Erzerum. The Russians now have captured Trebizond, Balabur and Gushik Khanek and recaptured Mamakhat.

The Galician advance of the Russians has caused the Germans to withdraw troops from the Balkans and Turkey were sent there to replace them. The Russians, quick to see the advantage thus afforded, started a vigorous offensive toward Erzerum. Only a rear-guard battle preceded the capture of the town, the Turkish main forces have been beaten and forced to retreat toward Sivas.

ROMAN CITIZENS WANTED

Supernumeraries Needed for Shakespearean Production.

Your town needs your services. The performances of Julius Caesar will be the interest of the town next week. For four times only, (three nights and one afternoon) you are wanted to take the part of a Roman citizen. Your costume will be furnished you free of cost. You will not have to pay to see the performance. You will only have to pay car-fare in case you live too far away to walk to Clarke's Woods. You should be on the ground as soon after 6 o'clock as possible on Wednesday evening to get your costume and have a rehearsal. After that you can take your costume home, put it on there and not be at the grounds until 7:15. You are only required to go on the stage with a group of people and to echo the remarks that leaders will give you, such as, "Caesar's will," "Well, what of it?" "Yes, they are," "Noble Antony," "Well burn, we'll mutiny," and several of this. This is not asking much of each individual. Will you do your share to keep the reputation of your town for being a place where citizens are public-spirited?